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"FAIR IN FORTY" OPENS SATURDAY

PERSONALLY SPEAKING

By: Your Editor.

SERVICE—Mr. Walton, Niles druggist seemed very well pleased last week to receive from The Register Print shop a tricky form of special statement to fill an unusual style of binder.

His requirements called for special ruling, special perforating, special punching before the actual printing could be started. A salesman for a San Francisco firm had told him the special punching required could not be had.

Mr. Walton placed his order with The Register Press on May 7 and had the finished product delivered to him on May 15. . .

Our motto is: whatever printing we cannot do we can have done through our trade connections, to the customer's satisfaction.

The moral is: when in need of printing **try The Register Press first!**

— WW —

CUSTOM—A man goes into a barber shop and says "I want a haircut". Why just one hair cut? Why not have them all cut? Getting technical, the customer should say "I want all my hairs cut"!

SANITATION AT ALVARADO BEING INVESTIGATED NOW

ALVARADO—Death of one child and serious illness of about 18 others in Alvarado has stirred up considerable agitation regarding sanitary conditions in the west side of town, residents report. A survey made by Dr. I. O. Church, Alameda County Health officer, has not been made public as yet.

The death of Gerald Ansley, 19 months-old, took place at an Oakland Hospital where his mother, Mrs Inez Ansley also has been seriously ill. Several other similar cases are in the same hospital. The disease, commonly referred to as intestinal influenza has not been classified by doctors who say that it is not typhoid, however. Dr. Church reported that milk and water supplies were pure.

Housing conditions in the section of town where the illness has been evident are said to be regrettable so far as sewerage disposal is concerned. Action is expected to be taken by the Chamber of Commerce when the report of the health department is made available. The Ansley funeral was held from the Chapel of the Palms in Centerville.

SUCCESS OF P. T. A. PLAY MAY LEAD TO LITTLE THEATRE

Steps toward the formation of a little theater group in Washington Township are expected to be taken soon following the successful venture of the Parent-Teachers Association of the Niles Grammar School in their first dramatic offering presented Saturday night at the school. This was also the first time the stage of the new $185,000 school plant had been used by adults for dramatic purposes.

Mrs Roland Bendel, in the lead role of "Leave it to Mother," was heartily applauded for her presentation of the old-fashioned mother with a modern family. Niels Nielsen who arrived in this country from Denmark about two years ago with small ability to speak the English language gave a remarkably able performance in the part of the aged village Shylock. Also outstanding was the work of Elizabeth Lindsay as "the brat." Almost equally good were the roles taken by Mrs C. N. Myrick, Miss Patty Duffey, Warren Jones, Mr and Mrs Jolly Batcheler, Mrs. Reginald Calhoun, Mrs A. B. Leaske and "Junior Batcheler," the pup who threatened to steal the show.

Although taking a small part, Postmaster Ed Enos in the role of the be-whiskered rich uncle demonstrated the true beauty of age that is to be his twenty or thirty years hence. Russel Ross as the foppish Englishman showed ability in his character role.

In short, the audience thoroughly enjoyed the evening which also included a short talk by Berkeley Buckingham, director; accordion numbers by Albert Silva and vocal numbers by Bert Dutra of Warm Springs, accompanied by Mrs Dwight Thornburg. Enthusiastic comments would augur well for another performance.

LAST PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PLAY FRIDAY EVENING

CENTERVILLE — The Senior class play "What A Life" is being presented Thursday and Friday evenings of this week in the Washington Union High school auditorium.

This year the story chosen for this presentation is one centering around the life, adventures, and mishaps of that lovable and laughable character of radio and screen, Henry Aldrich. Everyone is familiar with this humorous serial, and you may be assured that "What A Life" is no letdown from the hilarious incidents of the radio program.

Tom McWhirter, president of the Senior Class, heads an able cast in the part of Henry Aldrich, bringing that character to life in a very real manner.

Opposite this lead, Lorrayne Peterson plays Barbara Pearson, very important in the cast and also to Henry as a romantic interest.

Other members in the play are as follows:

Miss Shea, Elizabeth Lindsay; Mr. Nelson, Calvin Oliveira; Mr. Patterson, Manuel Silva; Miss Pike, Shirley Mast; Bill, John Cardoza; Miss Eggleston, Norma King; Miss Johnson, Rosemary Sessa; Mr. Vechitto, Philip Brazil; Gertie, Vermilda De Luce; Mr. Bradley, George Bonde; Miss Wheeler, Margaret Williamson; George Bigelow, Lawrence Leal; Mrs. Aldrich, Gertrude Mozzetti; Mr. Ferguson, Ben Mossetti; Mary Vermilda De Luce.

Tickets are now on sale, and can be obtained either from student salesmen or in the office.

Candy will be sold between acts on both nights by the Senior Class.

Miss Muriel Fournier is directing the production.

NO ACTION TAKEN BY NEWARK CLUB ON RE-PLACING SIGNS

NEWARK—As no representative of the California State Automobile association was present when President A. E. Francis called the Newark Boosters Club meeting to order in Silva's hall here Tuesday night, no sdicussion was had on re-zoning the 25-miles signs through Newark.

Standing committees reported on Scouts, publicity, etc., and it was moved to have a dues notice printed on the meeting notice cards, as well as change of meeting place from Butler's Hotel to Silva's hall.

The resignation of Tony Martin as treasurer was offered by the chair and was accepted. Joseph Peshote was appointed by the chair to serve as treasurer until the next election of officers.

Mention was made of a dance to be given August 17 in Swiss Park by the Club, the proceeds to be used to purchase a flag for the town's flagpole.

Walter Waynflete, editor of The Township Register at Niles, was introduced and said a few words.

Arthur Cotton, Newark homebuilder, announced he was starting building a group of fifteen new homes near Newark.

FIREMEN TO DINE

The Alameda County Firemen's Association will meet at the Fairmont Hospital for an out-door dinner on June 6, at 6:30 o'clock, according to Clarence Crane of Niles, president. The September meeting will be held at Niles.

NEW VOTERS PLEASE CONTACT MR. WEBB!

If you have become 21 years of age since November, 1938, and have not received a letter from Barton Webb, principal of the night school regarding the citizenship pageant to be given at the high school on June 7 at 8 p.m., please contact Mr. Webb at the high school.

If you know of such a young man or woman, please contact Mr Webb.

ARTHUR ADAMS, 16, W. U. H. S. STUDENT, DROWNED SAT.

Arthur F. Adams 16, son of Mr and Mrs Lewis H. Adams of Irvington and a student of Washington Union High School was drowned on Saturday May 18 in Black Slough about ten miles west of Stockton. He and his two brothers Stephen and Rolland, accompanied by a friend, William Wright, 26, of Stockton had gone fishing and swimming and were returning to the landing when Arthur, apparently overcome with the heat toppled out of the boat and sank. Every effort was made to reach him by diving, as Wright is an experienced life saver, but to no avail as no bubbles rose to the surface to guide Wright. The body was found two hours later in forty feet of water, by deputy sherrifs who dragged the slough.

The Adams family formerly lived in Stockton and funeral services were held there Tuesday at ten thirty o'clock. Elders Leroy Harris of San Jose and Emery E. Jennings of Berkeley conducted the services. Interment was made in Park View Cemetery at Stockton.

Surviving are his parents, Mr and Mrs Arthur F. Adams, two brothers, Rolland and Stephen, and a sister Dorothy, who is a student in the Irvington Grammar school.

Adams is a tender on the Southern Pacific bridge at Dumbarton. Young Arthur was a popular student at Washington High school where his twin brother Rolland is a student.

The sympathy of the Township is extended to the bereft family in their loss of son and brother.

KANGAROO COURT RAISES FUNDS FOR SCOUT TROOPS

State police, (closely resembling Dick Attinger, Bill Helm, Ernie Frick and their gang of mavericks) disturbed the peace and quiet of the Niles community Monday afternoon and evening when they invaded this district with a patrol wagon, a loud-speaker and a portable jail.

Without warning they swooped upon store-keepers, passers-by in fact anyone who looked like he or she was one safe jump ahead of the sheriff—and after a brief period of incarceration in the "hoosegow" (complete with hangman's noose and all), accompanied by some vocal bally-hoo, extracted half a dollar from each unsuspecting victim.

There was no appeal from "Judge" Frick's order for every prisoner to plead guilty and pay his or her fine . . . or else!

FIRE AT DECOTO

DECOTO—The Decoto Fire Department was called to a fire at the home of Joe Caldeira, Highway and E street, Monday morning. Fire from the fireplace ignited woodwork and furniture nearby, causing damage estimated at about $125.00, chief R. Bendel reports.

Forty Fair Reflections

Beautifully mirrored in the placid pool of the Court of Flowers is the massive Triumphal Arch at the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition. Decked in its finest holiday dress, and literally covered by thousands of blossoming flowers, Treasure Island will open its portals to the world, May 25.

Legion Squad To Fire Volleys Over Veterans Graves

A firing squad of members of Washington Township Post of the American Legion will fire volleys under the command of Legionnaire Joe Duarte, over the graves of World War veterans buried in the various cemeteries of Washington Township next Thursday, which is Memorial Day.

Steps toward placing permanent markers on the graves of deceased veterans after Memorial Day were taken at Wednesday evening's meeting of Washington Post with Commander Arthur Cotton in charge. Legionnaire John Dutra presented Adjutant Frank Veit with a list of known graves of veterans interred in this Township

—Buying Flags

The Post approved the buying of flags to be used in the Naturalization Pageant to be held June 7 at Washington Union High School under the direction of Night School Principal Barton Webb.

The Sons of the Legion are planning a picnic near bridge 6 in Alum Rock Park on Sunday, June 9, Legionnaire Manuel Brazil reported. Parents and friends may accompany the boys, the adults bringing their own picnic lunches. Drums are being purchased for the use of the Sons, of whom there are now 33 in the local organization.

Sunday at 12:30 a parade will precede the opening of the Junior Baseball League at the high school with the drum corps there and a double-header to be played.

Other matters brought up were: mention of the fact there are graves of two veterans of the War of 1812 in the Centerville Cemetery; that Legionnaire John Alves is ill in Ward Ol of Letterman Hospital and would be glad to see his Township friends; and that the annual Poppy Day will be put on this Friday by the local Women's Auxiliary.

—Editor Joins

Walter Waynflete, editor of The Township Register, until recently a member of Alta Post No. 19, in Dinuba, Tulare County, was voted into membership of the Niles Post, and was graciously welcomed by Commander Cotton. Waynflete promised the Post regular publicity, and offered the resources of his business for the use of the Post and its members.

The next meeting on June 12 will be a joint meeting with Pleasanton Post, at which time members will take their own "eats" with them.

Council of P. T. A. To Seat Officers Next Wednesday Noon

CENTERVILLE — Officers of Phoebe Hearst Council of P. T. A. will be installed at a luncheon at the Country Club of Washington Township next Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock. Mrs E. W. Buxton, president of the 16th district will be the installing officer and will be accompanied by Mrs E. E. Edwards, president of the Mt. Diablo council.

The program is being arranged by Mrs Reginald Calhoun, Mrs C. N. Myrick and Mrs Loren Marriott. Reservations should be made not later than Monday with Mrs Wayne Day of Irvington.

Officers to be installed are Mrs Robert S. Mayock of Irvington, president; Mrs Guy Cauble of Valle Vista, Mrs J. D. Bass of Castro Valley, Mrs Harold Tilton of Livermore, Mrs H. R. Hobson of Sunset, Mrs Reginald Calhoun of Niles, Mrs F. E. Spicer of Hayward and Mrs E. R. Miller of Livermore, vice-presidents; Mrs R. B. Benbow of Irvington, recording secretary; Mrs L. Olson of Hayward, financial secretary; Mrs D. B. Stephens of Hayward, treasurer; Mrs A. R. Rollins and Mrs H. V. Kelly of Hayward, auditors.

Mrs Buxton will tell of the national Congress of Parents and Teachers held at Omaha recently and the membership cup for the council will be presented. There also will be a report of the council historian, Mrs Anthony Taylor and a musical program. This is the first time the council has had a luncheon for installation ceremonies.

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GATES TO WEST'S GREATEST PAGEANT OPEN AT 9 A.M.; EVENTS TO CROWD EVERY DAY UNTIL SEPTEMBER 29

TREASURE ISLAND ON SAN FRANCISCO BAY—Eyes of all the Western world this week were focused on Treasure Island, where the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition will open in a blaze of glory next Saturday.

During the past week extensive tests of the new night illumination system furnished the San Francisco Bay area with a preview of the magnificent spectacle that will be witnessed nightly during the coming four months. Those who have seen this year's illumination pronounce it to be even more dazzling than that of 1939, which was universally conceded to be the last word in Exposition lighting.

And now there remain but a few short hours until California's World's Fair is thrown open to the waiting multitudes.

Bombs will explode; sirens will shriek. Thousands of miles away, in Little America, a golden key will flash and the azure waters of San Francisco Bay will reflect a blaze of irridescent light from the skies above Treasure Island. Bands will blare; jostling crowds will throng the avenues of Treasure Island to view the magnificent opening pageant—a breath-taking extravaganza of beautiful girls and flashing colors.

Opening day of the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition will be an occasion not soon to be forgotten. From 10 o'clock in the morning, when President Marshall Dill, cuts the ribbon barrier at the main automobile entrance, until two o'clock the following morning there will be a continuous round of activity.

—Aerial Circus

Strolling troubadours will strum their guitars. There will be a thrilling aerial circus. Gondoliers and serenaders will lend new enchantment to the beautiful Lake of the Nations. There will be parades, a drum majorette contest and other features too numerous to mention.

As dusk falls on the enchanted isle in San Francisco Bay there will be a spectacular pageant of light. On the Federal Plaza there will be impressive opening ceremonies, with addresses by President Dill, Governor Culbert L. Olson and San Francisco's Mayor. President Franklin D. Roosevelt will speak over a nation-wide radio hookup and, at the conclusion of his address, press a key that will send forth the impulse to turn on the Exposition lights.

—Hundreds of Features

These and hundreds of other features will mark Saturday, May 25, as one of the gala occasions in the history of the West, launching one of the most magnificent enterprises ever conceived in the mind of man.

A pageant of early California days with a cast of 600; eleven bands, six of which will engage in competition; a broadcast with well known radio stars participating; a grand ball . . .

These are just the highlights of Alameda County Day at the Exposition. June 1 is the date set and thousands of residents from the entire East Bay area are expected to join in the festivities. George P. Hellwig of Alvarado is a member of the committee of the day.

NEW ADVERTISERS IN THIS ISSUE

The HAYWARD Typewriter and Office Machine company, Hayward. Regular schedule.

WALTONS PHARMACYS of Niles and Centerville, proprietary medicine, regular schedule.

E. H. FRICK PLUMBING Co. of Niles. Six weeks' schedule.

ALAMEDA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS: Invitation to attend Alameda County Day June 1 at "Fair in Forty"

(Look at the Want Ads: four new ones this week!)

Reverend Father Azevedo of Sacramento was a weekend guest of Monsignor Alfred DeSouza.

ESCOBAR ABSOLVED OF TRAFFIC DEATH BY OAKLAND COURT

NEWARK—Joseph Escobar, 44 was absolved of the auto death of Mrs Barbara Anna Buses of 1109 58th avenue, Oakland, following an auto accident at Warm Springs on December 3. Escobar was acquitted after a two-day trial in Judge Edward J. Tyrrell's Superior Court in Oakland ending last Thursday. He had been held to answer after a preliminary trial at Niles. The jurors at the Superior Court hearing deliberated three and a half hours.

Escobar had been accused of driving his machine into a third lane and striking the car driven by the husband of the deceased, Paul Buses. Mrs Buses died four days following the accident and Escobar was charged with negligent homicide. His attorney contended that he had not crossed beyond the center lane. One of the witnesses was A. K. Dutra of Warm Springs, garageman who witnessed the accident.

Mr and Mrs Fred Phippen and sons Walter and Frank spent the weekend visiting relatives at Clear Lake.

COMING EVENTS

TODAY

POPPY DAY: conducted by Women's Auxiliary of Washington Township Post, American Legion. Buy a poppy!

8 p.m. Last showing of Senior Play "What A Life" at Washington High school.

8 p.m. Ham Whist benefit sponsored by Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce in Niles Grammar school auditorium.

Evening: All night Fiesta Barn dance at Oakland Civic auditorium.

SATURDAY

9 a.m. Great "Fair in Forty" opens on Treasure Island. Local banks closed: legal holiday.

Southern County Elementary schools track and field meet at W U H S. A WPA Recreation project sponsored by the Centerville Lions club.

8 a.m. Homeless Children's ball at Washington High school gymnasium.

SUNDAY

"Ham and Egg" picnic at Joyland Park up Niles Canyon.

12:30 p.m. Parade precedes opening of Junior Baseball League at W U H S. Double-header to be played.

TUESDAY

8 p.m. Whist party in Irvington Grammar school given by Irvington Fire Department Auxiliary.

WEDNESDAY

All day: Safety Patrol Day at Treasure Island.

2 p.m. St. James Guild of Centerville meets in Niles Memorial Hall.

12:30 p.m. Phoebe Hearst Council of P. T. A. instals officers with luncheon at Township Country club.

NEXT THURSDAY

MEMORIAL DAY. Hang out your flags!

The Honorable Uncle Lancy

By ETHEL HUESTON

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CHAPTER XVII
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Aunt Olympia, becomingly gowned and beaming rosily, received the gentlemen of the press that afternoon, in ample time for them to get their stories in for the morning papers. She smilingly but firmly resisted their pleas for five minutes, three minutes, just a look then, at the girls.

"No," she said in her most motherly voice, "I am sorry to refuse you anything. But you do not understand a mother's feelings. The campaign is important; yes! But the health and the nerves of these children come first with their Uncle Lancy and me. Remember the terrible ordeal they were dragged through. They need rest. They need quiet. They have stood all they shall be permitted to stand. But, I must say that three more gallant, public-spirited young citizens never lived than those children, mine and the Senator's . . . Tired, nervous, suffering with chills and fever as she was, Helen—she's the oldest—she's twenty-one—got up this morning and took the six o'clock plane out to Iowa to vote. She's a resident of Iowa. Exhausted, worried, sick, she just rallied her forces and out she went to exercise the sacred franchise."

Olympia went to her desk and shuffled among the photographs. "This is Helen," she said. "She's very studious. She graduated from college with all kinds of honors when she was only twenty. This shows her at work at the Senator's table—making out her grocery list, I fancy . . . Adele and little Limpy are more playful. Here's a nice one of them together in the big swing at Commonwealth Park. Sweet, isn't it? Here they are raking leaves for a bonfire on Halloween. This is Limpy; named for me, of course, and some people think she looks like me, too, in a small way."

The girls spent the day quietly upstairs and amused themselves very well with the papers, smirking over the photographs, which were surprisingly good. Limpy was not so well pleased with the verbatim report of her speech.

"I see what Aunt Olympia meant," she mused. "It doesn't pay to be too extemporaneous."

Flowers came for the girls, telegrams, letters, small gifts; and for Limpy a big ivory donkey, handsomely autographed in green ink:

"Limpy for President in '58,
"And for Campaign Manager,
Your Old Pal,
Jim."

Aunt Olympia, her weariness forgotten, her ill humor dissolved in contentment, was deliriously happy. She, too, received flowers, telegrams and gifts. She read the basketful of congratulations. She cooed into the telephone. She crooned over the girls. She almost felt satisfied with the Senator.

The Senator made his final appeal over the radio on Monday night and an effective job he made of it; speaking with quiet dignity, restraint and reasonableness, pointedly ignoring personal phases except for one paragraph, which the entire staff had a hand in preparing.

"My friends, I address you tonight on the issues of this campaign. I speak only of the issues. The sad infringement of the sanctity of my home is not one of these issues. My personal feelings in that tragic matter are relegated to the background at this time. But to those thousands of you, my friends, who have written, telephoned and wired solicitous inquiry as to the health of my young wards, and whether they have suffered serious ill effects from the physical and mental anguish of their tragic and deplorable experience, I am happy to relieve your fears. The children are young, but they are brave and high-spirited. In the safe serenity of my home at Maysville, in quiet seclusion, they are recovering from the brutal shock to their innocent trust and confidence which was even greater than their physical discomfort. And the eldest of them, Helen, has arrived safely in Iowa by plane where on the morrow she is to cast her first vote as an American citizen."

Tuesday, the eighth of November, was election day. The Senator and Mrs. Slopshire had planned—and made public pronouncement to that effect — that after casting early votes, they would spend the day quietly at home with the children, having a large family dinner—a pre-Thanksgiving, it was, really—in the middle of the day, and in the evening, from six o'clock on would be at home to their friends with a buffet supper and listen to the returns.

In the Governor's Mansion on the other side of Maysville, the Opposition was to be entertained at an evening reception with light refreshments.

"They'll be light," said Olympia, reading the announcement in the paper. "Very light. Almost too light to lift. He's already begun cutting down—ever since Adele pointed out the handwriting on the wall."

Olympia, although she wanted desperately to have the pride of taking the girls with her to the polls, finally decided against it. They couldn't vote, and she was a little afraid it would look like "putting on." She wasn't above "putting on" all she could, but she didn't want it to look obvious. This, she felt, would look obvious. And then, at the last moment, she had cause to regret her restraint.

Ben Baldy had drawn the big car up to the west veranda to convey them to the voting place. The Senator was waiting, hat and gloves in hand, Limpy and Adele were there, dancing a tiptoe with excited farewells, speeding them on to victory. Dave was stolidly planted in the front seat with Ben Baldy. Aunt Olympia, having kept them waiting only fifteen minutes, came out in a rosy flush. She kissed the girls and permitted the Senator to assist her into the tonneau and seat himself at her side.

"Come along, Cece!" she boomed joyously.

"Oh, I'm not going!" said Cecil Dodd. "I'm not a resident of this state. I can't vote here."

"Well, why don't you go home and vote then? You've time enough to make it!"

"I can't. I was so worked up over the campaign I forgot to register."

"Well, come along anyhow!" said Olympia, sudden anxiety darkening her happy eyes. "Come along and watch us."

"I can't!" said Cece desperately. "I've got to shave."

"Shave!" she boomed angrily. "Shave! If you aren't shaved already—yes, and half an inch below the surface—then I've lived with whiskers for nothing."

"Okay, Ben!" said the Senator cheerfully. "Good-by, girls! Be good children now."

And the big car rolled away.

"Isn't everything lovely?" exulted Limpy. "Isn't everything sweet? Aren't you happy?"

"I am right now," said Cecil Dodd. "But it won't last. They ought to make voting more difficult and more prolonged. It ought to take at least as long as making out your income tax."

"Oh, well, make the most of the minute!" said Limpy. She caught a hand of Adele's, one of Cecil's, and led them gaily back into the house. "Let's do something to celebrate! Something exciting! Something naughty, if possible."

"It's exciting for me just to be able to look where I want to," said Cecil Dodd. "And nothing naughty about it, either."

"Think of something naughty!" urged Limpy.

"No, let's not," said Adele. "We've been naughty enough. And I feel responsible, with everybody else away. You'd better keep your eyes on me, Cece."

Hilda entered the room with a tray. "I brought some cider for you gir—ladies," she said crossly. "And a little pick-up for Mr. Dodd. It's customary to drink the health of the polls."

"Oh, that's nice! Maybe we should have a pick-up too, Adele! That would be very naughty . . . Hilda, come here! Where are you going? Don't you drink to the health of the polls? How irreverent you are!"

Cecil filled the glasses. Hilda, acquiescent but indignant, accepted her glass and stood by in angular disapproval, clicking her glass with the others as they drank their toasts.

"Sloppy for senator!"

"More votes to Sloppy!"

"Slower votes for Sloppy!" from Cecil Dodd.

"Down with Wilkie!"

"Up with Olympia!"

"Bigger and better eyes for me," said Cecil Dodd, doing very well with those he had.

When they had finished, Limpy made them all hold hands and dance around the low coffee table that held the cider pitcher and the siphon and glasses.

"Here we go 'round the mulberry bush," she sang.

"Let's give Sloppy a landslide push," suggested Cecil Dodd. And they sang it gaily.

"Time flies fast and we'd better hush—pronounced like bush," said Adele. And they sang that.

"I got to go now," said Hilda. "I forgot to tell you, Mr. Hardesty called up and says he feels the same and he's as good as out of a job right now and he'll be here for breakfast tomorrow."

She stalked away.

"Adele, dear Adele," said Cecil Dodd. "Poor Len! Think of his—his anguish . . . I know my anguish . . . Pity him in his distress. Not only has he nothing to look at, he has no job. Don't you think you should go and call him up or write him a note or just go off into some remote silence and send him a tender thought?"

"I do not think any such thing," said Adele, laughing. "I think I shall be an assistant Aunt Olympia and stick around . . . However, I am going out on the west veranda to pick a few of those late chrysanthemums. And as soon as I hear the car coming I'll be right back on the job again."

She went out laughing.

"She's a swell gal," said Cecil Dodd.

He went then and sat on the arm of Limpy's chair. "The trouble is," he said gravely, "that I'm the only person on earth who realizes how old you are."

"Well, you can't say I haven't told them!" said Limpy indignantly.

Cecil started to put his arm around her. Then he stopped, stood up, moved a few steps away from her.

"Another trouble is," he went on gloomily, "they've nagged at me so much and harped on it so consistently, I'm beginning to think maybe you are young."

Limpy frowned at that. "Well, just remember that I've got a job as campaign manager for '40 and that's more than any of you antedeluvians can say!"

Cecil frowned, too. "That was a funny thing . . . And they couldn't get his name . . . But I daresay you know who it was."

"Certainly I know who it was. In about twelve hours he's going to be the newly elected Republican Congressman from our district in Iowa. And Helen's going to marry him when they get around to it."

Cecil broke down then. He threw both arms around Limpy, and kissed her, on the ear. Then his lips crept along her cheek and arrived at last, timidly, at her lips.

"I'll tell Aunt Olympia," she said finally, not having hurried him.

" 'A-tisket a-tasket,' " sang Adele warningly before she entered the

"I am the only person on earth who realizes how old you are."

room. "I hear the hum of returning votes. Where's your razor, Cece?"

"A swell girl! I always said so," said Cecil over his shoulder, already on his way upstairs.

Aunt Olympia's first words were, "What's Cece been doing?"

"He said he had to shave," said Adele.

Her eyes, and Limpy's eyes, went guiltily to the low coffee table. But Hilda, tidily and unobserved had removed tray and glasses.

The rest of the day passed in comfortable quiet. Ben took the big car and Martin the two-seated Ford to help round up delinquent voters and deliver them safely to the polls. The girls played tennis between showers with Cecil Dodd, under the watchful eye of Aunt Olympia sitting near by in a large camp chair, sheltered against both intermittent rain and sun by a large umbrella. Dave Cooper treated himself to a well-earned nap on the library divan. Hilda, reinforced by two assistants, had a hard day making preparation for the evening buffet which, as Aunt Olympia said—and said it ungrudgingly, too—had to be worth a month's salary.

At five o'clock she began laying the tables. Hilda was adept at this. She had learned from experience that while the spread must at all times look bountiful and even lavish, an abundance must be held in reserve for belated arrivals. But the provision was ample for any contingency. There were roast turkeys, baked hams, sliced tongue, and pickled pig's feet for the more aristocratic constituents who liked to go plebeian on election night; there were sandwiches, salads, baked beans, deviled eggs and aspics; there were cheese, candies, nuts, cigarettes and cigars; there were ices, teacakes and pies. And on a small table, beautifully decorated and lighted with candles, stood the Victory Cake, two feet high, three feet in diameter. Aunt Olympia was glad she hadn't canceled that order.

By seven o'clock, when the polls closed, the household was in readiness. Uncle Lancy looked suave and senatorial; Aunt Olympia beamed like a sunburned and overnourished favorite of Jove; Cecil Dodd took advantage of the occasion to present himself in white tie and tails but Dave stuck to his sack suit, and at the last minute decided against changing his shirt. The girls were a little distressed about the still unworn wind-up costumes, but Aunt Olympia decided they were a little too autumnal for an indoor reception and recommended graceful and becoming—though old—chiffons.

Exactly at seven, cars began streaming into the grounds, and laughing, joyous, congratulating guests were soon drifting through the house and lining up at the tables. Only in the library the doors were closed and silence was maintained, for there the elect were to listen to the returns. Loudspeakers had been set up in other parts of the house, too, but not much attention was paid to them, except that every mention of "Senator Slopshire" brought cheers and a demand for one more toast.

Adele, catching Limpy's eye, summoned her to a corner of the corridor with a suggestive lilt of silken lashes.

"Darling," she whispered, "everybody says it is a landslide for Uncle Lancy. Len must be sick—just sick! The Governor is out and Len will not have a job and—don't you think, darling, it would be nice for me to slip over to the Governor's mansion a minute and—sort of cheer him up?"

"You'll get your picture taken!" warned Limpy.

"Oh, no I won't. I'll change into my wind-up costume; nobody's seen that; and they don't know me so well over there. I'll wear a dark veil. Only Len will recognize me and he'll hold them off."

"Well, as a holder-off, I wouldn't call him tops myself," said Limpy.

"I feel so sorry for him, darling. I've made it awfully hard for him, and even Aunt Olympia says it wasn't his fault. Maybe my conscience hurts."

"Maybe it's just your heart," said Limpy. "There's some kind of tie-up between them."

"But think how much better he would feel—just to see me—and know that everything's going to be all right."

"You're wanted on long distance," interrupted Hilda crossly. "The both of you. It's Iowa."

"Helen!"

The girls raced upstairs to the study telephone. Adele, being older, took the receiver. "Hello—darling!" she said.

"Adele, is Limpy there? . . . Are you all right? . . . How is the Senator coming along?"

"Oh, fine. A landslide, they say."

"Listen, darling. Get Limpy close to the 'phone, so she can hear, too. The returns won't begin coming in here for three or four hours, but Brick and I are going to get married. Right away, girls. I wanted you here, but—we want to do it now, so we will be together—however it goes. At eight o'clock, girls. So at eight o'clock, you slip off and say a little prayer for Brick and me, will you? You'd better not tell Auntie till tomorrow. I can imagine what a wreck she is! Wasn't Limpy's speech great? Everybody is crazy about it out here . . . Adele, I know you and Len will get together again, but—tell Limpy—she is to come and live with us. Brick wants her, too. It may be Congress and it may be the same old grocery store. But we want Limpy. Don't forget, girls. At eight."

The girls waited. And a little before eight, they went upstairs together and closed the door of their room and locked it. They both stood up, holding hands, and at eight o'clock, Adele said, "God bless Helen and Brick," and Limpy said, "Amen." And then they wept, but happily, in each other's arms.

As a matter of fact, Helen was not married till a full hour later, for the girls had forgotten the difference between Eastern Standard and Central time, but already their loving prayer had gone winging on its way.

Then Adele, wrapped in a long dark cape over her expensive wind-up costume, with a dark veil shielding her face under the jaunty felt hat, kissed Limpy and smiled.

"Adele, if I could only go with you!" pleaded Limpy. "It makes me very nervous for you to go off alone—on such an exciting night—"

"You have to stay, darling. If Auntie sees you she won't miss me. I shan't be gone long; just long enough to tell him it's all right."

"The reporters'll catch you if you don't watch out."

"I'll watch out. Anyhow, it's too late now to lose the election."

Adele slipped quietly out and Limpy was left alone; alone, except for the Senator and Aunt Olympia and the reporters and publicity men and some two or three hundred noisy guests. But she felt very much alone. She went in and stood close to Aunt Olympia. She looked small and her impish sparkle had faded to a plaintive wistfulness.

"Don't you feel well, Limpy?" demanded Olympia, in sudden fright. "You look pale. You'd better go to bed. You'd better take an aspirin. Del! Where's Del? Tell him to call a doctor."

"I feel all right, Auntie," said Limpy, sadly. "I just feel—lonesome. I—just feel like being as close to you as I can."

Tears came to Aunt Olympia's eyes. "Limpy!" she said fondly. "Such a week as it's been! You wait, Limpy. We'll make it up to you. We'll go someplace—anyplace you want—you and Adele can decide it . . . And you can play and dance and have a good time. Here, sit here by me. Give her a pillow, Cece . . . You can go now, Cece . . . She's tired; she can't talk. Hilda! Where's Hilda? Bring her a sandwich, Hilda."

In the grounds surrounding Shires, in the streets, and all through the town of Maysville, sirens shrieked, horns blared, excited voices roared approving cheers.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Strange Facts

'Realistic' Paintings
Suicide Excursion
Fire Ruins Granite

¶ Many medieval Russian artists, when painting a holy personage on an icon, used an odd method to make each figure "realistic." They would first paint the skeleton, then the body organs, then the flesh and, lastly, add the clothes.

¶ During Japan's last suicide wave, which occurred between 1933 and 1935, 313 persons succeeded in jumping into the volcano on the island of Oshima. Of the 1,208 others who were foiled by the guards at the crater's edge, 29 managed to jump off the boats on the way back to the mainland.

¶ Although the diplomatic mail of the United States is free of inspection in all countries through a reciprocal agreement and is delivered to our embassies and legations by American couriers, each pouch is equipped with a special lock that records the number of times it was opened on each trip. If this number does not check with the schedule, an investigation is made.

¶ Although granite, like marble, is noted for its hardness and durability, granite buildings have been known to crumble and fall in devastating fires that have only scratched marble surfaces.—Collier's.

Bertha Wished to Know Punishment—Just in Case

"Don't fidget!" snapped mother.

Little Bertha stopped toying with the lid of her chocolate box and endeavored to concentrate upon the play. But it was a dull affair.

In two minutes her small fingers were busy again.

"Now, Bertha," exclaimed her mother, "I warn you."

When her mother spoke like that she was not to be disregarded. Glancing doubtfully at the dull stage, and then at the tempting lid, Bertha whispered:

"Would it be a hairbrush, mummy, or just your hand?"

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The Questions

1. Rome was built on how many hills?
2. How is the temperature of a Centigrade thermometer reduced to Fahrenheit?
3. Why did Lady Godiva ride through Coventry?
4. What is a salaam, a fish, a salutation, or a small coal bucket?
5. To win the Democratic presidential nomination a candidate must receive—a majority of the votes in the party convention, two-thirds of the votes, or four-fifths of the votes?
6. Why are rats used extensively in biological research?
7. Will a car develop less horsepower at 5,000 feet elevation than at sea level?
8. What is the beam of a ship?
9. What is a peccadillo—a Spanish word for a peck measure, a petty fault, or a piglike mammal?
10. What British islands in the South Atlantic control the Strait of Magellan?

The Answers

1. Seven.
2. Multiply by 9/5 and add 32.
3. To help the people escape heavy taxes.
4. A salutation.
5. A majority.
6. One chief reason: Owing to their size they require a minimum amount of testing substances.
7. A car developing 100 horsepower at sea level will develop but 82 horsepower at 5,000 feet elevation because the density of the air decreases with altitude.
8. Its width.
9. Petty fault.
10. Falkland.

Fur-Clad Island

Its name is Possession, and it can be found on the charts of South-West Africa. Seen from the sea it almost blinds you, because of the white guano which covers it, but a hundred years ago a Captain Morrell, who wrote a book, "Narrative of Four Voyages," said that when he arrived off Possession he found it clad in fur. The whole island was covered with the bodies of fur-seals, their skins still on them. He believed the seals had been overwhelmed and suffocated by one of the terrifically hot whirlwinds which sweep out to the ocean from the desert coast.

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Waking Dream

You ask what hope is. He (Aristotle) says it is a waking dream.—Laertius.

Pity Forgot

In extreme danger, fear turns a deaf ear to every feeling of pity.—Caesar.

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OLSON CALLS FOR SUPPORT OF RED CROSS WAR FUND

Proclaiming the existence of an emegrency requiring the extraordinary services of the American Red Cross, Governor Olson made a strong appeal to the citizens to subscribe to a war relief fund. In his proclamation the Governor called the recent invasion of Holland, Belgium and Luxenbourg as unwarranted causing widespread suffering and hardships among millions of helpless men, women and children.

Residents of Washington Township will find properly labelled receptacles standing by the cash registers in retail stores throughout our towns. Change from purchases may be dropped in these jars and will be used exclusively for the alleviation of suffering civilians in the invaded countres.

CENTERVILLE STUDENTS WIN EIGHT PRIZES

CENTERVILLE—Eight Centerville Grammar school students were awarded prizes in the fifteenth annual international poster contest of the Latham Foundation for the promotion of humane education.

The winners were: Group III, Grades 7, 8, and 9—Nila Bennett, 8th grade, third prize; Stanley Bernardo, 8th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of his outstanding work; Sachiye Dowke, 8th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of her outstanding work; Lucille Raymond, 8th grade Certificate of merit in recognition of her outstanding work.

Group II, Grades 4, 5, and 6—Betty Cotter, 6th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of outstanding work; Reiko Hamachi, 5th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of outstanding work; Norval Peixotto, 6th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of outstanding work; Mihoko Shimizu, 6th grade, Certificate of merit in recognition of outstanding work.

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NEWARK

P. F. Meyers assistant Farm advisor held a meeting recently for the purpose of organizing a boy's 4-H Agricultural club in Newark. An organization of this sort was very active a few years ago and held meetings every week at the Newark Grammar School, but was disbanded about one year ago.

The eighth graders of the Newark Grammar School held their annual picnic and school trip in San Francisco Saturday. They traveled by bus and toured through a large newspaper, broadcasting station, and many other places of interest. The grammar school band and orchestra also held a picnic at the Newark foothills Thursday afternoon, accompanied by Miss Elsie Schaible, music instructor; and Principal Jack MacGregor.

Betty Jane Silva, five year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Tony Silva, fell while at play at her home Friday morning and cut a deep gash over one eye. She is under the doctor's care and is reported to be improving.

Mr and Mrs Joe Alberts are having a new home built on their property on Mulberry street.

Mrs William Calderias' daughter Mrs Alice Aroz of Oakland is the proud mother of an eight pound baby girl born Friday at the East Oakland hospital. The baby has been named Dolores. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Mrs M. Fyffe and daughter Anna Mr and Mrs John Smyrl and daughter Barbara, and Mrs Mary Flaherty spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs William Fyffe in Berkeley, where a picnic lunch was held in the gardens. Mrs M. Belford, the mother of Mrs Smyrl and Mrs William Fyffe is reported to be slowly improving at the Fyffe home from a recent illness.

The members and families of the Newark Farm Home Department attended the Farm Center picnic held at Linda Vista Park in Mission San Jose on Sunday.

Mrs Mae Souza entertained a large number of Washington Township friends at her summer home at Brookdale last Thursday. There were 14 members in the party.

The Newark Farm Home Department held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs John Mac Gregor on Thornton Avenue, Friday. Mrs Marion Zwissig, newly-installed president of the organization presided over the business session. The project of the day was dress finishing. The Newark Farm Home Department will participate in the Achievement Day featuring a fashion show at the California Nursery in Niles on Wednesday June 5. This meeting will be open to all members.

Mrs Walter Wyatt entertained the Out-of-Town bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

James and Richard Laudenslager were among those who attended the annual South Coast Region Future Farmers picnic at Bolado Park near Hollister on Saturday. They went in the Washington Union High School bus with other students from Washington Township.

A birthday party was held for Miss Shirley Costa, who celebrated her 13th birthday on Saturday at the home of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Costa. The afternoon was spent in playing games. Many beautiful gifts were received and refreshments were served. Those present were Laura Martel, Betty Brown, Bonnie Jean Poole, Patricia Rose Costa, Eleanor Freitas, Loretta Caldeira, Charlotte DeValle, and Gertrude Gastleum.

Mrs Lucille Lewis is recovering at her home from a sprained back.

The Newark Sportswomen members who attended the San Francisco Sportswomen meeting and luncheon held last Monday evening in San Francisco were Mrs Ann Castro, Leona May, Edith Meneze, Florence May, Mesdames Emma Dias, Helen Day, Lorraine Montero, Irma Alberts, Erma Tedder, Angie Fraga, Mary Fraga, Mildred Hird, Elsa Mikkelsen and Rose Nunes.

The Misses Mary Duarte, Victoria and Mary Meneze, Emily Leal, and Olive Silva attended a dinner at the Hawaiian Gardens in San Jose on Tuesday evening.

Mrs William Caldeira, Mrs Emma Dias, Mrs Jake Springer visited Mrs Alice Aroz at the East Oakland hospital on Sunday.

The Newark Fire Department held their regular meeting on Monday evening at the Newark Fire House. The firemen have set the date for their annual dance as July 20 at Swiss Park, and the dance committee appointed consists of Orland Meneze, chairman; Arthur Silva, and Maurice Caldeira. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Newark Fire Department also held their regular meeting at the fire house on Monday evening.

Chief Joe Pashote and Mrs Pashote, First Assistant Chief Lawrence Costa and Mrs Costa attended a dinner given at Oakland Thursday evening, honoring Oakland's two retired fire chiefs, Chief A. Ball and Shief Sam Short The diner was sponsored by the Oakland Pioneers.

Among those from Newark attending the Junior-Senior Prom at Washington Union High School last Friday evening were Edward Kugeman, John Freitas, Anthony Lemos, James Laudenslager, Betty Jane Steinhoff, Jean Rogers, Richard Laudenslager, Darlene Bolyard Shirley Bertolotti, Esther Silveria, Grace Lyons, Helen Guardanapo, Helen Cardeniz, Eleanor Freitas, Edna Leal, Patricia Rose Costa, Ben Leal, Ancieto and Lionel Rocha.

Chief S. Neilson and his wife from Yosemite Valley visited Chief Pashote last Thursday afternoon to see the Newark Fire House

Mrs Ray Trescott attended a luncheon given at the home of Mrs Lou Williams in Oakland on Wednesday.

The Sons of the American Legion whist party held Friday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building in Niles turned out to be a financial success. According to Arthur Cotton, commander of the Washington Township Post of the American Legion, the proceeds of the whist party will be used for purchasing baseball equipment for the Sons of the American Legion baseball team under the managership of Pete Nunes.

Mr and Mrs Frank G. Evans moved to their ranch near Novato in Marin Copnty recently after living in Newark for many years.

Deputy Sheriff Ralph Harrison of Contra Costa County visited friends in Newark Saturday.

Stanley Majeski, George Butler and Tony Orland spent Saturday fishing near Modesto.

The Junior Christian Endeavor students spent Saturday at Camp.

The Newark afternoon bridge club met with Mrs Daisy Snow on Wednesday. Refreshments were served.

Mr and Mrs Souza of Centerville gave a birthday party Saturday evening at the Pacific Gas and Electric Club house in Newark for the Centerville Fire Department. The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served.

Mr and Mrs E. B. Johnson and sons, Ronald and Derric of Oakland, and Mrs Thomas MacBride of Berkeley were visitors at the home of Mrs B. Nordvik on Sunday.

The Molders Union held their regular meeting on Friday evening at Silva's hall.

George Marshall was seriously burned at Washington High School last Thursday by a blow torch. He is reported to be improving at the San Jose hospital.

The Episcopal Men's group of Washington Township entertained their wives at a dinner served Saturday evening at the Centerville Church.

A reception for Reverend Attwood of the Episcopal Church was held on Tuesday evening in Centerville at the church. Many Newark people were present at the reception.

On Wednesday of this week a group of Newark women attended a meeting at the Pleasanton Presbyterian Church.

Mrs W. Q. Wright entertained the Stitch-em-up Club today at her home. Refreshments were served.

The Friday evening bridge club met at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Gilispie on Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

The Senior class of the Sunday School students of Saint Edwards Catholic Church are holding a candy and miscellaneous sale in honor of Corpus Christi today at the church.

A number of Newark people witnessed the graduation of Leo Brown, former student pastor of the Newark Presbyterian Church, at ceremonies held at San Anselmo recently.

The Newark S. E. S. lodge was well represented in the Santa Clara Holy Ghost fiesta on Sunday.

BALL SEASON OPENS

NEWARK—The celebration of the opening of the second annual softball season for Washington Township took place at the High School grounds in Centerville last Thursday evening, under the sponsorship of the Softball Association of Washington Township. The teams marched on to the field, accompanied by the Washington Union High School band, and the Sons of the American Legion Drum Corps. The first game of the evening was played bewteen the Knights of Columbus and the Gilmore Steel with the Knights of Columbus winning by a score of 6 to 5 from the Gilmore Steel. The Native Sons trimmed the Wedgewoods in the second game by a score of 9 to 4. On Monday evening the first league game was played at the school.

28,000,000th Ford Enroute to Fair Opening

Ford car No. 28,000,000 is now enroute to Treasure Island from Edgewater, N.J., via Mexico. The symbolic car was built at the New Jersey Ford plant on April 8 and immediately began a 10,000 mile international good will tour. Its arrival at the Golden Gate International Exposition on May 25th will be a highlight of opening day. Top view shows Edsel Ford, pointing at right in group, when the car rolled off assembly line. With Mr. Ford are, left to right, Governor Moore of New Jersey; Senor Santiago Suarez, Mexican consul; Wallace R. Campbell, president of Ford Motor Company of Canada, Ltd.; and Douglas S. Cole, Canadian Trade Commissioner.

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All the equipment, fixtures, furniture, furnishings, stock in trade, good will, utensils, bar equipment, leasehold interest, liquor licenses and everything incidental and pertaining to said business.

The purchase price or consideration will be paid at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. on Monday the 27th day of May, 1940, at Central Bank, Irvington, California.

Dated at Oakland, California May 16, 1940.

JOSEPHINE FERNANDEZ
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PUBLIC (Legal) NOTICE

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Safeway Stores, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation of 201 Fourth Street, Oakland, California, has filed its trade mark "KITCHEN CRAFT" with the Secretary of State of Kansas, to be used on foods and ingredients of foods of every description, particularly flour and farinaceous products of every description.

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PUBLIC (Legal) NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRUSTEE
(School Code, Sec. 2.873)

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of Niles Elementary School District of Alameda County, California, that the Annual Election for School Trustees for Niles Elementary School District will be held at the Niles Elementary Schoolhouse in said district on the first Friday in JUNE, viz, JUNE 7, 1940.

It will be necessary to elect one trustee for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of 1 o'clock P.M., and 5 o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are:

MRS. EMMA ALVES, Inspector
MRS. MARY SOLON, Judge
MRS. ANNIE DUTRA, Judge.

Dated May 7, 1940.

Signed:
THOS. B. MURPHY
JOE D. GOMES
HARRY T. TYSON, Clerk,
Niles Elementary School District.

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PUBLIC (Legal) NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR HIGH SCHOOL TRUSTEES
(School Code, Sec. 2.873)

Notice is hereby given to the electors of Washington Union High School District of Alameda County, California, that the annual election for School Trustees for Washington Union High School District will be held at the schoolhouses of the various elementary school districts comprising the Washington Union High School District on the frst Friday in JUNE, viz.: JUNE 7, 1940.

It will be necessary to elect two trustees-at-large for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours designated on notices posted at the various elementary schools comprising the Washington Union High School District.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are the same as those appointed to conduct the election in the various elementary schools of the Washington Union High School District.

Dated May 15, 1940.

Signed: H. F. HARROLD, Clerk, Board of trustees, Washington Union High School District.

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— EDITORIAL PAGE —

THE PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR ALARM

When news came last week that Holland had fallen and most of Belgium had been overrun by the Nazis hordes, and the first thrust had been made into France itself, our President saw the Biblical "handwriting on the wall", addressed a joint special session of the Congress and broadcast an alarm which most of us heard over our radios or read in metropolitan newspapers.

He demanded FIFTY THOUSAND airplanes within a year; an increase in pilot training; more ships, etc. (The only thing he forgot to ask for, in this writer's opinion, was enough ammunition to serve the guns and rifles we now have. Some investigator discovered some months ago that Uncle Sam does not have enough ammunition on hand today to carry our present regular army through just one major battle. And—among nations, our regular army stands 17th—on a par with Portugals. It would be funny if it wasn't so dangerous!)

Before the President's orders can be carried out the Nazis will: 1) be stopped; or 2) crash the channel into England. One or the other will be determined within the next few weeks. It is inconceivable to the writer that France and England together cannot throw back this present mad invasion: the former have known what was coming and have had months to prepare. In the other war these nations were taken entirely by surprise, yet somehow stemmed the kaiser's car of juggernaut. You may remember Paris rushed soldiers to the front in taxicabs at the start of the last war!

Or: the melee overseas can, and probably will settle down to the same stalemate which lasted for three years in the first war; irresistible force meets immovable body, etc.

We Americans, who are letting Britian and France serve as our bulwark aginst the monster of nazism, can comfort ourselves with the following thoughts:

1. Germany as a nation is not much larger than France; only one-fifth the population of the far-flung British empire . . . therefore the more determinedly the Nazis prosecute the war the greater their loss of men—and they only have so many men to be killed. In fact recent dispatches refer so often to "boys of 20" acting as German soldiers.

2. Germany has only so many shells and cartridges to shoot off. The faster they are shot the sooner her supply runs out. Their factories can't keep up with the amount of ammunition shot in a major battle. And major battles are now occurring every day.

3. Germany had but $27,000,000 in gold last September when the war started. She swiped forty million from Czeck banks last year and Russia paid her 18 million for keeping out of Latvia and Lithuania. All told, not much gold base for a nation's currency when the war is costing Germany tens of millions each day.

4. What will the Nazis use for gasoline when their twenty million ton reserve is exhausted? They have almost no source of replenishment, and the grade they have is too low for their fine airplane engines. One flight and the engines are knocked to pieces.

5. The more fronts Germany is active on—Belgium, Norway, France—the thinner she spreads herself out and the greater the drain to keep the fighting men provided with ammunition, hospitalization, and FOOD. Grmany had lots of wheat stored away last year, but an army fights on BEEF. With her exports shut off, except from Russia and Central Europe; her merchant marine idle, sunk or interned; more than one-third of her navy destroyed in the Skaggerack battle Germany's position is serious, so far as keeping her soldiers fed proper rations is concerned. Of course stealing food from the stolen nations: Norway, Denmark and Belgium will help fill her larder for a little while.

The thoughtful observer will conclude that Madman Hitler is now "shooting the works",—making his last supreme effort to beat the unbeatable . . If he wins through, because of some fatal blunder of the British and French, then everything that civilization has toiled for and held dear for the past hundreds of years will perish from the earth.

The French [illegible]nized forces are as good as Hitler's or better; the Ro[illegible]r Force of Britian is manned by men, not boys. Hitler's [illegible]al losses the past week have been five times those suffered by the allies.

A few more weeks will tell the tale. Britain might as well recall her expeditionary force from Norway: Narvik isn't worth having. There's serious work to be done at France's east border just now. And that's where the story will be told—before summer.

So the President's sudden call for vast armaments may never be needed—unless Armageddon is at hand . . in which case, as Eddie Rickenbacker said last week—we're five years too late to make our program effective.

"Time will tell"—and time is certainly on the wing.

— W.W.

YOUR DIMES AND DOLLARS ARE NEEDED

Dreadful things are happening in Europe today. Quite aside from the slaughter of prime manhood and young manhood, there is war's ever-present horror of women and children without men to take care of them, nor homes to live in.

The American Red Cross, by popular appeal, without any organized drive or house-to-house canvass is endeavoring to raise ten million dollars at once with which to attempt to alleviate some of the suffering of these helpless non-combatants.

Milk bottles with slotted caps may be found near the cash registers in many stores of Washington Township today,—placed there in the hope each and every shopper will drop in a few coins, or what they can spare.

Others who may wish to "say it with a check" may send their donations to the chairmen of the various chapters in Washington Township—may even designate it be used for welfare in ony one of the invaded countries.

Last year, at the rate of only a dime a person, the March of Dimes produced millions of dollars to be used in combatting infantile paralysis in the United States—because millions of people gave a dime.

Can't you spare a dime, a quarter, or a dollar for this present urgent demand . . and go to bed tonight feeling happy that you have given a little to help relieve the distress of some woman or child in the stricken countries of Europe?

WANTED—$10 BILLION BOOST

(California Progress Review.)

"Increase the national income by ten billion dollars!" Thus a leading labor spokesman offers his solution for building America through recovery.

Who disputes him? President Roosevelt wants to increase it, not by ten, but twenty billion. The question is not how much, but HOW!

Here, until recently, the doctors of economics have parted company. But today there are significant signs of a change. Witness the Agriculture Department's new cotton stamp plan announced a few days ago. It constitutes a virtual about-face on programs of scarcity and reduced acreages. Its aim will be not to subsidize underconsumption but to subsidize increased manufacture and consumption of cotton! This new tack on recovery follows a course many sound economists have long championed: Increase national income by increasing the production of goods and services, not by decreasing them or setting up artificial barriers to the flow of goods. Restricted production, higher prices to the public, and smaller markets, have followed in the wake of states' attempts to erect Chinese walls around themselves. And who can say these "scarcity" plans have succeeded? For every measure passed restricting interstate commerce, hindering producers' use of motor transport, a dozen retaliatory measures by neighbor states have followed, further helping to pave a pauper's road to economic scarcity for all.

Boost the national income $10 or $20 billion, but first boost goods and services. Commonsense says we grow by growing, not by shrinking!

LETTER BOX

Dear Editor:

May I express to you Sixteenth District's grateful appreciation for the courtesies and space extended to them by your paper during the past year? Your co-operation has helped greatly in making a most successful year in their work for child welfare and is deeply appreciated.

Mignonette Sayles
Publicity Chairman,
Sixteenth District,
California Congress of Parents and Teachers

Dear Editor:

Sorry not to have seen you—had to get back on 9:30 bus.

Wish you might be able to come to Masonic Home with Rotarians Monday. If not I will fix up a report, if you so wish.

You asked readers to tell how they liked 6 page home printed paper. I like it, and hope patronage will be such you can get out more.

Sincerely
J. H. Heath
Editor Masonic Home News

The Decoto Grammar school Baseball team played their last game of the season last week with the Alvarado Grammar school team. The Decoto team won with a score of 13 to 1.

TOWNSHIP YOUTHS TO GRADUATE FROM VARIOUS COLLEGES

CENTERVILLE—Several township boys will graduate from various colleges next month. John Stevenson of Centerville is completing a postgraduate law course at Stanford University. Frank T. Dusterberry, Jr., is finishing a postgraduate business administration course at the same university. Vernon Ellsworth will graduate from the University of California.

Elmo "Chuck" Grimmer of Irvington is graduating as an orthodontist at the University of California Dental College in San Francisco where Jack Rathbone of Centerville is also completing a dental course. Vasco Salvadorini of Centerville is graduating from McGill University in Canada, his family expecting to be present for the commencement exercises. Dr. Louis "Bud" Ruschin, of Newark is completing his interterneship at Highland Hospital and will join the staff at Arroyo Sanitarium at Livermore in July.

FIELD MEET

CENTERVILLE—The elementary schools of Southern Alameda County are holding a track and field meet this Saturday at Washington Union High school, sponsored by the Centerville Lions club. This activity is conducted as a WPA Recreaton Project.

CHURCH NEWS

Niles Congregational Church
Rev. R. C. Day, Pastor

Next Sunday the Sunday before Memorial Day, will be observed with appropriate services. Decorating the graves of our honored and beloved dead is a fine sentiment; but moral renewal through our remembrance, fruiting in high resolve and rededication to the Cause for which they gave their last full measure of devotion, is of more vital importance to our future existence as a free people. The Cause of Freedom stands in greater jeopardy today than for long centuries.

While we thank God we are Americans, let us not forget that our patriotism and love of country must express itself in full hearted devotion and action equal to that of our honored dead, else Freedom shall perish from the earth. With this solemn thought we approach the day and interpret its meaning.

Christian Science Churches

"My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God." These words from Psalms comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, May 26, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Soul and Body." Included among the Scriptural selections will be: 'O bless our God ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard: Which holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to be moved" (Ps. 66:8, 9.)

The following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included: "Identity is the reflection of Spirit, the reflection in multifarious forms of the living Principle, Love. Soul is the substance, Life, and intelligence of man, which is individualized, but not in matter. Soul can never reflect anything inferior to Spirit. Man is the expression of Soul" (p. 477).

ATTEND CHURCH

(Special to The Register)

A group of Rebekahs from the Niles Rebekah Lodge attended services at the Congregational church in Niles Sunday morning, in comemoration of the One Hundred and Twenty-first anniversary of the founding of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

ST. JAMES GUILD

The members of St. James' Guild of Centerville will meet in the Niles Memorial Hall at 2 p.m. next Wednesday May 29. Hostesses will be Mrs Harry Cushing and Mrs W. W. Walton.

TIRES STOLEN

CENTERVILLE — Frank Cardoza, who operates the Stevenson Dairy here sustained the loss of about $100 worth of truck tires, a rear view mirror and a horn when a thief jacked up his truck in his garage Sunday night or early Monday morning and removed some of the tires, Deputy Sheriff H. A. Vervais of Niles reports.

1940 DE SOTO MORE LUXURIOUS

The heavy response of the motoring public to comfort and luxury at no added cost, is a big factor in the outstanding success of the 1940 De Soto," declares Clarence B. Crane, Niles De Soto-Plymouth dealer. "The interior of the 1940 De Soto has the comfort of a modern living room." Mr Crane said. "Seat cushions are now chair high, with higher backs for the ultimate in passenger comfort. Upholstered in luxurious fabrics, with deep, soft cushions and convenient arm rests, passengers can now relax and really be comfortable.

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FAIR DIRECTORS

George C. Roeding Jr., William B. Kirk and Joseph Shinn Jr. have been named as directors to represent Niles and Washington Township at the Alameda County Fair which will run from July 24 to 29, word sent The Register reveals Headquarters were opened in Pleasanton this week.

RECRUITING OPEN

SAN FRANCISCO—All recruiting stations are now accepting applicants for enlistment in the U. S. Army it was announced today. Qualifications for enlistment are: unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 35 years who are citizens of the United States, without dependents, of good character and in good physical condition. Apply at new postoffice building, Oakland.

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MISS BETTY DENTON CHOSEN VALEDICTORIAN AT WASHINGTON HIGH

(Special to The Register)

CENTERVILLE — Miss Betty Denton, daughter of Mr and Mrs Grady Denton of Niles, has been chosen valedictorian of the graduating class of the Washington Union High School and will be one of the speakers at commencement excercises to be held on June 13. Miss Denton is president of the Student Body Association and has taken an active part in school activities during the past four years. She recently won the Readers Digest annual award for scholastic achievement.

Other student speakers will be George Bonde, son of Mr and Mrs George Bonde of Niles and John Ferrante, son of Mr and Mrs Alexander Ferrante of Decoto. There will be a musical program by students and no outside speaker this year. The exercises will be held in the stadium which will seat 3300. Each of the 130 graduates will receive eight reserved seats each for their families and friends.

The annual Junior prom was held Friday night and the Senior breakfast will be served on Tuesday morning, June 11, to be followed with the farewell Senior assembly. Sometime during this month the class will observe its annual sneak day, destination for the group as usual to remain a secret. The Senior ball will follow commencement, to be held Friday night, June 14, in the school gymnasium.

WANT ADS

RATES: 2c per word first insertion, 1c per word on repeats of same copy. Minimum charge, 25c.

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FOR SALE: Siamese Kittens. Call at 123 Central avenue, Centerville. 21c

FOR SALE: Store Fixtures: counters, show cases, ice box, scales, cash register, slicer, ect. Or will rent store complete with fixtures at 457 First St. See Frank Martinelli, Niles. 18tfc

FOR SALE: Windmill, Pump and 7,000 gallon tank all in good condition. For particulars and price apply to Box 376, Niles. 20c

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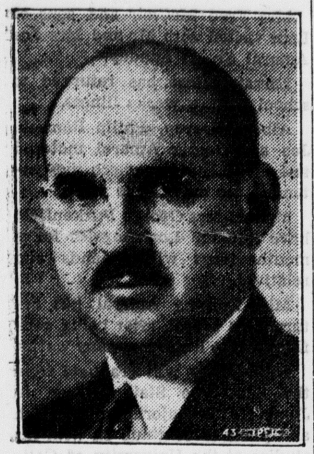

Guest speaker at the meeting of the Decoto Boosters club held last Friday evening at the Decoto fire house. His subject was "Superior courts and their relation to the community."

LOSETRAS GIVE TEA NEXT WEDNESDAY

NEWARK—Losetra, young matron's organization of the Newark Presbyterian church, will entertain the Ladies Aid and the Women's Missionary Society at a tea to be given at the church next Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Mrs Margaret Johnson, president, will have charge.

Mrs W. L. McWhirter of Centerville will speak on child welfare and Lorraine Peterson and Phyllis Owens will give vocal numbers, accompanied by Laura Lee Zwissig. Arrangements for the program have been made by Jessie Hockinsen and Wilma Elsea.

CENTERVILLE

Judge A. G. Norris, Maxwell Stevenson, and Tom Silva went to Bakersfield for the Native Son's Convention. They left Monday and returned on Thursday.

Mrs L E Bailey entertained at her home at a farewell luncheon for Mrs A J Attwood on Tuesday.

Mrs Alice Jean Harrison was the guest of Mrs George Emerson for several days.

Mr and Mrs F. T. Dusterberry are spending the week in Marysville, where Mr Dusterberry is attending the Knights of Pythias convention. Leonard Whitbeck and Matt Mathiesen are also attending the convention.

Mrs Beatrice Davies of South Main street spent the weekend at Half Moon Bay.

Miss Elizibeth Dusterberry, Mrs R. A. Sparrowe, and Mrs George Bonde are the committee in charge of arrangements for the luncheon to be held at the home of Mrs E. L. Ellsworth of Niles at the next meeting of the Welfare Club.

TOYON BERRIES' GARDEN PARTY IS FINE SUCCESS

One of the most successful garden parties yet given by the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay was held at the home of Mr and Mrs J. C. Shinn Saturday noon, The Toyon Berries, junior branch, the Boy Scouts and the Alvarado Grammar School assisted.

Mrs William Harrold Oliver, chairman of the branches of the hospital association was a guest with former residents returning for the annual garden party. The program, arranged by Mrs Walter Robie, was presented by Principal J. C. Wasley of the Alvarado Grammar School with the following children taking part: Joaquin Naharro and Manuel Priego in vocal and accordion Spanish songs; Sally Cardoba, Spanish dance and a minuet presented by Agnes Simoncig, Mary Anne Silva, Laura Emery, Florinda Gonzales, Francis Roderick, Madeline Hernandez, Joelle O'Neil, Kenneth Roderick, Placy Paredes, David Priego, Bobby Wasley, Andrew Gardetto, Louis Silva and Faustina Madriga. Dwight Thornburg was the accompanist.

HONOR GUEST

CENTERVILLE — Mrs Alice Jean Harrison of Santa Clara who has been visiting at the home of Mrs George Emerson was the honor guest at a luncheon and theater party given in San Jose by Mrs Emerson. Other guests were Mrs Howard Chadbourne of Centerville, Mrs Alice Bergstrom of San Jose, Mrs Maude Sneden of Oakland. Mrs Chadbourne, Mrs Emerson and Mrs Bergstrom were guests of Mrs Sneden in Oakland also recently.

ANNUAL BALL

CENTERVILLE—The public is invited to attend the annual ball for homeless children to be sponsored by the Native Sons and Daughters at Washington Union High School on Saturday night, May 25. Arrangements are being made by Mrs Tom Silva, Jr., of the Betsy Ross Parlor of Native Daughters and Harold Garcia of the Native Sons.

BALL CLUB DANCE AT SWISS PARK IS GREAT SUCCESS

NEWARK—The softball association dance given at Swiss Park Saturday evening turned out to be a financial success, and the officers of the association wish to thank all those who assisted in making their forty-niner dance a success. Prizes were awarded to the best forty-niners: Ralph Bain, first, Mr Bain dressed in style with a silk topper; Mrs Burly James, first in women's prizes, dressed in fashion with hoop skirt and bonnet.

The softball league started play Monday at the High School grounds with the Knights of Columbus playing Westvaco, and the second game being played between Wedgewood and the Woodmen of the World. The public is invited, and all first games start at seven-thirty o'clock.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Judge and Mrs Allen G. Norris and Mr and Mrs J. V. Goold entertained at the Norris home with a dinner party in honor of the 14th birthday of their niece, Miss Sally Logan of Alvarado. Those present were: Charles and Shirley Marriott, Paul and Mary Lou Ellwood of Oakland, George Holeman, Glenn Faucet, Ruth Ziegler, Judy Hill of Alvarado, and Jimmy Jones.

Mr and Mrs George Emerson spent Saturday at their cottage at Paradise Park.

Mrs Howard Chadbourne, Mrs George Emerson of Centerville, Mrs Maud Sneden of Oakland and Mrs Eric Bergstrom of San Jose attended a luncheon at the Hotel St. Claire in San Jose last Thursday.

Mrs J. V. Goold and son Jimmie have gone to their summer home in Carmel Valley for the summer.

RAINBOW GIRLS INSTALL OFFICERS AT CENTERVILLE

CENTERVILLE—Installation of Centerville Assembly, Order of Rainbow Girls was held at Masonic Temple Saturday evening. Those installed were: Worthy Adviser, Elaine Lund; Worthy Associate Adviser, Betty Oldfield; Charity, Betty Gibson; Hope, Betty Jane Steinhoff; Faith, Betty Hall; Recorder, Eleanor Kamp; Treasurer, Jackie Burtch; Chaplain, Lillian Jorgenson; Drill Leader, June Sorenson; Confidential Observer, Virginia Wasson; Outer Observer, Mary Bruce; Musician, Sigrid Olesen; Choir Director, Hazel Gipson.

Love, Laura Lee Zwissig; Religion, Barbara Williams; Nature, Jean Rogers; Immortality, Darlene Bolyard; Fidelity, Helen Griffin; Patriotism, Opal Potvin; Service, Betty Ann Schulz.

Installing officers were: Worthy Adviser, Karen Gronley; Worthy Adviser, Linda Jane Hellwig; Chaplain, Helen Kamp; Recorder, Olga Gronley; Marshal, Joan Boyd; Honorary Marshall, Bette Geogiene Arendt; Musician, Mrs. Irene Kikky; Hostess, Mrs. Eleanor Potvin.

Refreshments and dancing followed the installation. Music for dancing was furnished by a group of boys from Pleasanton.

WARM SPRINGS S P R S I INSTALS ITS OFFICERS

WARM SPRINGS—Supreme officers and delegations from neighboring lodges attended installation ceremonies for the Warm Springs Lodge No. 84 of the S P R S I at the grammar school last Thursday afternoon Mary L. George of Centerville, inspector was installing officer and refreshments were served after the program.

Those installed were Mary Serpa, ex-president; Minnie Garcia, president; Nora Garcia, vice-president; Louise Escobar, mistress of ceremonies; Rose Brown, secretary; Flossie Leal, treasurer; Angie Azevedo, marshal; Rose Ramos, guard.

Miss Jane Choure and Juel Choure of Mill Valley were guests of Mrs Fred Dusterberry on Friday.

Mrs Ella Stevenson has been spending the week in Petaluma.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Belshaw have moved into their new home on South Main street.

DECOTO NEWS

M. E. Silva is confined to his home here with an injured leg, suffered when he jumped from the platform of the Joseph Pearce Canning Company where he is employed.

Jimmie Hoover of Salinas is visiting at the home of his grandmother, Mrs Julia Silva.

Mr and Mrs Manuel Bolika are building a new home on Eighth street.

Mr and Mrs Tom Pagan and daughter spent the weekend at the home of relatives in Stockton.

Lowell Lamoureaux, Rose Rabello, Eddie Francis, Zek Rabello of Oakland and Ida Sequeira attended the boat races held at Calero Lake on Sunday.

Paul Pagon, Decoto youth, won first prize in the Whiskerino contest held at the Granada Theatre in Oakland on Saturday evening. His beard measured 2½ inches in length.

Mr and Mrs Louis Musick entertained with a party at their home here on Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs George Bettencourt escaped serious injuries when their car collided with another car in the Valle Vista hills recently.

Walter Walker, who has recovered from a recent operation has returned to his work with the Decoto Sanitary District.

A large number of Decoto people enjoyed the Holy Ghost celebration held at Santa Clara over the weekend.

Mrs Harry C. Searles and Miss Katherine Grasselin attended a luncheon party given at the home of Mrs Clara May on Wednesday.

TWO-BLOCK HIGHWAY

Texas claims to have the shortest State highway in the country, according to the California State Automobile Association. It is a two-block street in Huntsville and leads to the grave of Sam Houston Officially designated as State Highway 219, it takes off from U. S. Highway 75.

OFFICERS HONORED

CENTERVILLE — A party in honor of the visiting deputy and the book officers of Betsy Ross Parlor of Native Daughters was given in Centerville last Friday night. Honor guests were Bernice Arbini of San Leandro, deputy and Roumilda Rose, secretary; Rose Peixotto, financial secretary and Isabel Ferry, treasurer. Each was presented with a gift and Margaret White was chairman of arrangements.

WPA DISTRICT ENJOYS LUNCHEON AT LINDA VISTA PARK

The WPA Recreation groups of Southern Alameda County met at Linda Vista Park on Monday at 6:30 for a delicous luncheon of hotdogs, salad, pickles, coffee, potato chips and cake. Some 150 persons participated. R. Valley, head of the couthern county division, had charge of the program. Several head committeemen spoke during dinner. Charles Bertolli, WPA director, and Mr Phillips, assistant, spoke for a few minutes. The broadcast scheduled for 7:00 from Washington by Eleanor Roosevelt could not be received so we missed a fine talk on what the WPA is doing throughout the U. S.

Immediately after the luncheon the crowd gathered in the dance pavillion where Freddy McWilliams, colored WPA dance teacher put his pupils through their routines. Some fine dancing as well as comical acts were put on.

This was followed by community singing directed by Mr Valley with dancing by young and old. Old fashioned waltzes and square dances as well as rugcutting by the jitterbugs concluded the evenings festivities. The districts participating in this particular program were Alvarado, Centervlle, Warm Springs, Irvington, Niles, Mission San Jose, Russel City, Valle Vista, San Lorenzo, and Independence.

A vote of thanks to Mrs Floyd Witherly, WPA director at Mission San Jose School, for the use of her park and for being a grand hostess.

INDIAN PICNIC

The next regular meeting of Niles Rebekah Lodge will be held Friday evening June 7. An Indoor picnic will follow the business session. The committee in charge of arrangements consists of Fern Mittee, Mary Barnard, Maude Silers, Bessie Walker, and Edith Walter.

HAM WHIST PARTY

A Ham Whist party, open to the public is being given this (Friday) evening under the auspices of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce in the Niles Grammar school auditorium. The proceeds will go to the Niles Scouting troop.

MISS MARY SILVA IS MARRIED TO JOSEPH REBELLO

A very lovely bride, Mary Ann Silva, 17 of Irvington, was married in St. Joseph's Church on Saturday at 8:00, to Joseph Rebello, 21 of Niles with a number of relatives and friends in attendance She is a junior at W U H S.

The bride wore a rose mist costume suit trimmed in fox fur and white accessories. The honeymoon will be spent in San Francisco and they will make their home in Niles.

A reception will be held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the I D E S hall in Mission San Jose and all friends are invited.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs Mae Raymond was given a birthday surprise by her daughter Agnes on Wednesday afternoon The party was held at the home of Mrs George Caldera, sister of Mrs Raymond of Hayward. After a delightful luncheon cards were enjoyed. Mrs Raymond reeeived many beautiful gifts. Those attending were Marie Carstensen, and daughter Madeline Rogers, Margaret Freitas, Iva Caldera, Vivian Freitas, Freida Cooper, Isabelle Santos, Madeline Costa, Marion Cadeiro, Faye Freitas, Leona Frates, and Mrs Raymond's Mother, Mrs M. S. Freitas.

WHIST PARTY

IRVINGTON—The public is invited to attend a whist party to be given at the grammar school next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock by the Auxiliary of the Irvington Fire Department. Mrs Mae Raymond is chairman of arrangements and prizes will be linen.

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If you are nursing one of these old heirlooms, why not get rid of it right now? When summer starts in earnest there will be the greatest demands of the year made for hot water. More hot water for more frequent baths. More hot water for laundering extra household linens. More hot water for keeping all those washable summer clothes clean.

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GENERAL MOTORS EXHIBIT

SAN FRANCISCO—Progress in American industry, portrayed in dramatic and entertaining form as it tells of research, inventions and industrial developments of the past and present that have resulted in a higher standard of comfort and living, and assurances that the future holds continued developments that will bring even better things, is the theme of the comprehensive and interesting General Motors Exhibit at the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition on Treasure Island. Exposition visitors will find many things of interest in the exhibit, which occupies a building of its own in the colorful Court of the Pacifica.

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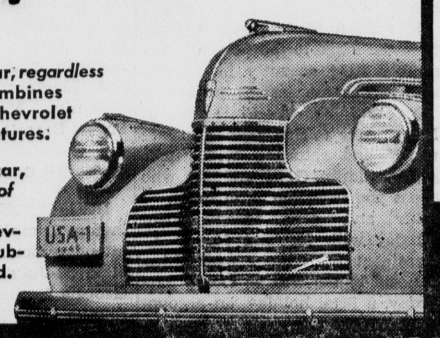

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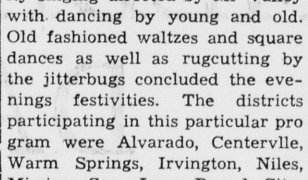

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NILES P. T. A. HOLDS INSTALLATION WITH LUNCHEON & PROGRAM

(Too Late Last Week.)

The Niles P. T. A. held their installation luncheon on Tuesday May 14. Lunch was served by the Ladies Guild of the Niles Congregational Church. Mrs. Reginald Calhoun presided with 48 ladies present.

Closing 15 years of active work, a very impressive installation ritual, written by Mrs George Coit of Centerville, was read by Mrs Roland Bendel. Members appreciated the gracious gesture of Mrs Coit for the privilege of using this ceremony as it left all greatly inspired to carry on the work of the association.

The following officers were installed: President, Mrs Harvey Braun; Vice President, Mrs E. E. Dias; Secretary, Mrs J. A. Silva; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs V. Young; Treasurer, Mrs A. B. Leask; Parliamentarian, Mrs R. Calhoun; Auditor, Miss Gertrude Keller, Historian, Miss Selma De Jonge; Delegates, Mrs Fred Duffy and Mrs Hugh Munro.

The program follows: vocal selections by Mrs Robert Vieux accompanied at the piano by Mrs H. Kibby; reading by Mrs Barton Webb. Miss Celecte Bunker spoke words of greeting from Mr E. D. Bristow, principal of the Niles School. Mrs George Baker, president of Phoebe Hearst Council spoke and awarded a Past Presidents' Pin to Mrs Calhoun.

It was voted that the P. T. A. allow $5.00 for the Girl Scouts' Charter. The annual summer round up of pre school children was held at the Niles School on Wednesday at 9 a.m.

Mrs E. E. Dias gave an interesting report on the district convention.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT CONGRESS MEETS MAY 27

Highlights of the annual convention of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers held at Amaho early in May, and the state convention of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers held in Los Angeles the week of May 20, will be given at the last meeting of the Sixteenth District. California Congress of Parents and Teachers to be held in Alameda, at the Porter School, Alameda and Oak streets, Monday, May 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Following the business session, the historian's report will be given by Mrs D. E. Graves. Luncheon will be served in the High School cafeteria.

Mrs E. W. Buxton, President of Sixteenth District, attended the national convention, and also the state convenion, and Mrs M. C. Godfrey, first vice president and Mrs Rudolph Steinmetz, finance and budget chairman, also represented the district at the state convention. Mrs Steinmetz was in charge of arrangements for presidents and delegates of local units of Sixteenth District at the convention.

SPEAKING CONTEST AT W. U. H. S. TODAY

CENTERVILLE — The annual public speaking contest sponsored by the Japanese American Citizens League will be held at the Washington Union High School this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Those contesting for the E. Marie Sandholdt trophy are Kazuei Tate, Calvin Oliveira and Edna Leal.

Judges will be Mrs Loren Marriott, president of the Country Club of Washington Township: Erle Hygelund, president of the Centerville Lions Club and Tom Maloney, principal of the Centerville Grammar School. Arrangements are being made by Edna Leal, president of the Debaters' Club and Peggy Wasley, vice-president. Topic of the speakers will be citizenship.

SAFETY PATROLS DAY

In cities and towns throughout northern and central California and Nevada thousands of boys and girls of the School Safety Patrol eagerly await the thrills of a special day at the Fair on Wednesday May 29, arranged as a tribute to their success in protecting schoolmates from traffic dangers. The day has been set aside as School Safety Patrol Day at Treasure Island by arrangement between Exposition officials and the California State Automobile Association, sponsor of the Patrol movement.

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NILES LOCALS

Judge and Mrs J. A. Silva celebrated their 13th wedding anniversary at a dinner party served at Sophie's Tavern at Irvington last night. There were about 20 present and accordion music was furnished by Francis Duarte during the informal program which followed the dinner.

Mrs Fern Mitte of Niles and Mrs Wilma Miller of Alvarado returned Sunday from Fresno where they represented their respective lodges at the Rebekah Assembly.

Mr and Mrs Roland Bendel entertained members of the cast of the P. T. A. play, "Leave it to Mother," at their home following the performance Saturday night. Out-of-town guests included Mr and Mrs Wesley Gordon of Hayward.

Lawrence Cone will leave this week for Treasure Island where he is to have charge of the "Old Adobe" at the California Nursery Company's exhibit on Treasure Island.

Mrs Evelyn Burke of the California Nursery Company plans to leave for Los Angeles the first of June to attend her daughter's graduation and her sister's wedding.

Judge Allen G. Norris, Thomas Silva and E. M. Stevenson represented Washington Parlor, Native Sons at the Grand Parlor in Bakersfield this week. C. E. Martenstein, attended representing Niles Parlor. Mrs Martenstein accompanied her husband.

F. T. Dusterberry, M. P. Mathiesen, and Leonard Whitbeck have been in Marysville the past week as representatives of Centerville Lodge, Knights of Pythias to the Grand Lodge of the order.

J. H. Crothers, Editor of The Humboldt Times of Eureka was a guest at the Frank Dusterberry home last Thursday. Mr Crothers is a brother of Mrs Dusterberry.

Mrs F. T. Dusterberry, District President of C. F. W. C. was the installing officer at Lodi Women's Club last Thursday.

Frank Mortimer, vice-president of the Alaska Rivers Navigation company hopes to visit his friends in Niles again this fall, a letter to The Register reveals.

A picnic sponsored by the "Ham and Egg" enthusiasts is to be held Sunday at Joyland Park up Niles Canyon.

Cowboys, cowgirls and wagons "whooped it up" through Niles Sunday afternoon, advertising the dance to be given by the Newark Rod and Gun club on Saturday evening, June 1 at Swiss Park.

The Niles Chamber of Commerce did not hold its usual luncheon meeting Monday as most of its members joined the Niles-Hayward Rotary luncheon served that noon in the Masonic Home near Decoto.

Mr and Mrs Warren Valencia and daughter were guests of Dr and Mrs E. C. Grau on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs S. Solinsky and son were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs J. C. Shinn last weekend.

Reverend Richard C. Day of Niles returned Saturday from a several days' visit with his son-in-law and daughter in Pasadena. His son-in-law is recovering from an illness. While in the south Mr Day helped his daughter celebrate her birthday.

Paul Menetrey, proprietor of the Newark Meat Market cut off the tip of his left thumb in his meat slicer while at work Tuesday. The injured member is taped up and will take some time to heal.

William D. Cull, delegate from Niles Odd Fellows Lodge to the Grand Lodge Convention held recently at Fresno has returned home.

Mrs Fern Mitte delegate from the local lodge to the Rebekah Assembly held recently in Fresno, returned home last Saturday.

Mr and Mrs A. C. Garcia of Niles drove to San Francisco Saturday and returned with their grandchildren Gene and Ed who spent the weekend with them.

Mr and Mrs Iacopi spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs A. C. Garcia at their home near Niles.

Local banks will be closed Saturday, a legal holiday, on account of the opening of Fair in Forty.

IRVINGTON

Mr and Mrs Alfred Perry, Mr and Mrs Raymond Cunha, and Mr and Mrs Manuel Perry attended a picnic at Alum Rock Park on Sunday.

Miss Gloria Dycus, Audry Silva, Lawrence Philpott and Curtis Vaughan enjoyed the weekend at Santa Cruz.

Mrs Fred McClair and sons of Lodi visited with Mr and Mrs Joe Amaral Sr. on Sunday.

Lorraine Rose has returned to school after a weeks illness.

Albert Harvey, Philip Ramsell, Joe and George Amaral motored to Lodi on Sunday where they attended the motorcycle races.

Mr and Mrs George Burkenfield have left for Los Angeles for a months visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Dorothy Amaral has returned to school, after being confined to her home for many weeks.

Paul Power will graduate from the San Jose State College in June. He is majoring in English and plans to continue on with his studies at the University of California in September.

The Womans Association of the Irvington Community church reported a huge success on their food sale, held Saturday at the home of Mrs Ellie Lutz. Mrs George Beardsley was hostess for the day.

The Irvington J. 8 Club met at the home of Mrs R. J. Wright last Tuesday. Those attending were Mrs R J Wright, Mrs Mohn, Mrs Chadbourne, Mrs Jorgenson, Mrs Mahaffy, Mrs Van Ike, Mrs Foster, Miss Mack and Mrs Burnell.

Leslie Callaghan and a party of friends enjoyed Sunday at Santa Cruz.

Postmaster and Mrs M. C. Joseph with Mr and Mrs Arthur Burley of San Jose were the dinner guests of Mr and Mrs William Lombard in San Francisco on Sunday.

MISSION SAN JOSE

Albert Frei of Fairfax is visiting for a while at the home of his brother Ernest Frei.

The Mission Fire Equipment was called out Thursday afternoon to quell a fire in a car owned by a Japanese who lives on Palm avenue.

Mrs Lois Justus attended the monthly Postmasters meeting held at Kleins in Centerville on Wednesday, May 15, at which Postmaster Manuel Lewis was host. Alvin Morse of W U H S faculty was guest speaker. A delightful time was enjoyed.

Mr and Mrs Manuel Souza, owners of the Mission Garage motored to Port Chicago to attend to their boating business on Tuesday.

Mrs Alfred Andrade was confined to her home for several days last week following a tooth extraction.

Mr and Mrs Frank Martinelli left Sunday for Los Angeles to spend a week as the house guests of Kay Keyser, orchestra leader over NBC

Mr and Mrs Robert Minton, contractor, who have been residents at the Gallegos estate for several months have returned to their home in Alameda. Mr Minton built a large swimming pool at Holy Names ranch during his stay here.

The Grocers Association of Alameda County held their annual picnic at Linda Vista Park on Sunday with a large crowd in attendance. Prizes and samples of all kinds were given away by the association.

A number of sisters from Dominican Convent have gone to Camp Imelda, located at Monto Rio on the Russian River, to make ready to receive the girls who go there for summer camp.

The younger set who attended the Junior Senior Prom from Mission were Nelle Warren, Lorraine Rogers, Mervin Telles, Mervin Santos, Elaine, Ruth and Bert Justus, Herman Mederios, Dolores and Marie Brown, Katherine Azavedo, Theodore Garcia, Frank and Lawrence Rogers, Richard Witherly, Melvin Souza, and Frank Barrett.

SUMMER CAMPERS

IRVINGTON—The following Irvington Campfire Girls expect to attend summer camp at Big Basin, June 23-July 7: Rachel Williams, Georgia Cooper, Nelda Hammond, Phyllis Day, Beverly Soito, Doris Rose, Doris Thomas, Helen Griffin, Sally Mayock, Eleanor Enos, Jean Davis and Mrs Stella Benbow.

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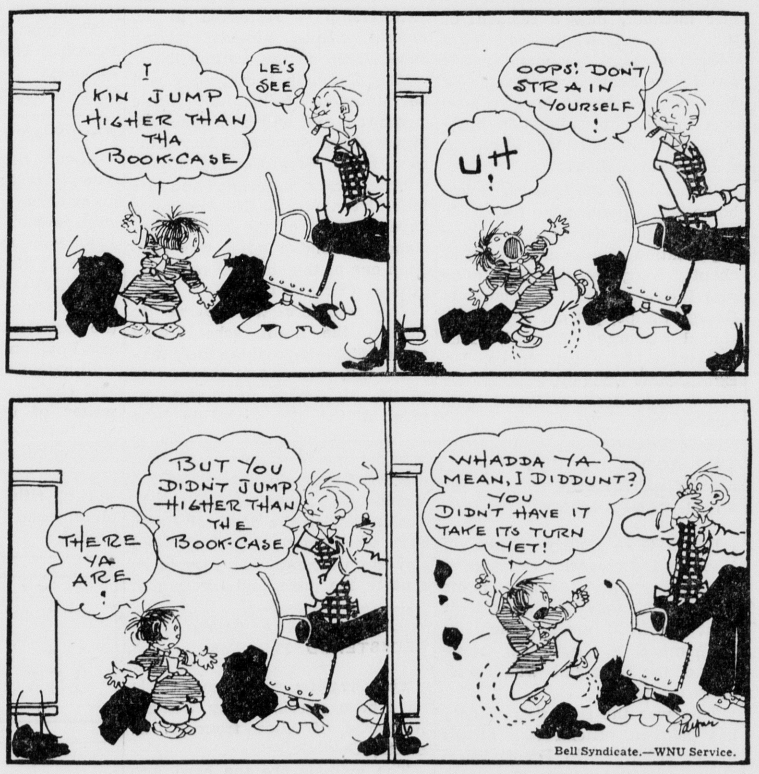
S'MATTER POP

By C. M. Payne
WNU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By J. Millar Watt
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"Me!" snorted the man behind the news. "I don't know her!"

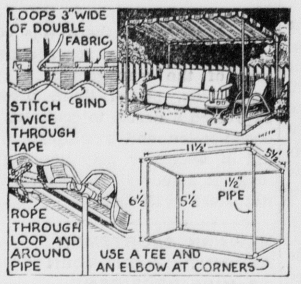
JUST SO

Jelly Fish—What's an optimist?

Perch—A person who sees a bait on every hook.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



MR. AND MRS. NEWHOUSE looked out over their backyard and were in no mood to plant an acorn and wait for it to grow up to give them summer shade. Mr. Newhouse bought some second-hand pipe for a song and made a sketch for the frame of a shelter like the one I have shown at the upper right. He had a plumber cut and thread the pipe so it could be put together easily.

Mrs. Newhouse wanted the shelter to be as cool as a dell, so she avoided all the hot red and orange colorings. The pipe frame was painted bright blue. Then she selected green and white striped awning material for the top. This material was 30 inches wide and 12 yards were needed. About 15 yards of bright blue bias binding were used for the scalloped edge. The method of fastening the awning to the frame is illustrated. The fabric loops were made of the awning material stitched in place through heavy woven tape.

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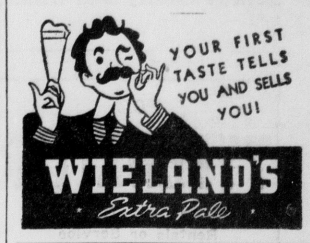

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W. P. A. DINNER

As one of the principal events in a nationwide program of "This Work Pays Your Community" week, May 20-25, and sponsored by the Work Projects Administration, dinner for WPA workers in Niles and Centerville was held Monday night at Linda Vista Park Mission San Jose, under the supervision of Charles G. Bertoli, Jean Kent, and Chester Phillips. Projects represented at the dinner were the School Lunch and Recreation. Public officials spoke at the dinners. During the dinner the workers and their guests listened to a national re-broadcast from 7:00 to 7:15 p.m. over station KFRC, emanating from Washington.

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KIMBER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF S. A. C. MUSIC ASSOCIATION

John Kimber, president of the Kimber Poultry Breeding plant at Niles was elected president of the Southern Alameda County Musical Association at a meeting held at Hayward Monday night. Dwight Thornburg of Irvington, Washington Union High School music teacher and president of the Arts and Crafts Guild of Washington Township was made secretary. Other township members on the board of governors are Judge Allen G. Norris of Centerville, S. G. Scott and George Fields, Jr., of Newark and Mrs William H. Ford of Niles.

Officers for the association elected at a meeting of the board of governors following the annual meeting held at the Bret Harte school are Kimber, president; Harry Tripp of Pleasanton, vice-president; Dave Watrous of Hayward, second vice-president; C. Harley Power of Livermore, third vice-president; Thornburg, secretary; Richard C. Coughlin of Hayward, treasurer.

The association, while leaving details of management to be arranged by the board of governors, expressed a majority opinion in favor of accepting a proposition of John Kimber to underwrite the finances necessary to bring in outside professional conductors for the music groups. It also seemed to be the consensus of opinion that efforts should be concentrated on the choral group with aid to the band and orchestra groups if there were sufficient musicians desiring it.

The meeting was attended by 36 representatives of the four townships. While there was considerable discussion regarding details of the management of the association, all of those present expressed a desire to continue the organization and a willingness to aid in whatever may possible to make it a success. Rehearsals will not start until fall.

NEWARK SPORTSMEN APPOINT CRUTTENDEN AS VICE-PRESIDENT

NEWARK — Russel Cruttenden was appointed to the office of vice-president of the Newark Sportsmen's Club, which was left vacant by the resignation of Alfred Silva. Silva's resignation was accepted at the regular meeting held Tuesday evening at Butlers Hotel. Plans were discussed for an outing for the members and their wives to be held on July 4. This annual event was started last July 4 with an outing to Farrar Park near Brentwood, and Henry Nunes was appointed chairman of the outing committee.

Macon Smith of the Foothill Sportsmen's Club as guest speaker of the evening spoke on "Fish Species and Game Loss". Henry Nunes and Manuel Fraga represented the Newark Club, at a meeting of the district council of Associated Sportsmen held in Martinez, and presented a report on this meeting concerning the inadequate number of game wardens in California. Russel Cruttenden presented a new snake bite kit to the audience and gave several demonstrations.

William Caldeira, program chairman had charge of the social part of the evening and announced that several outstanding programs are now being planned for future meetings.

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MASONIC HOME NEWS

By J. H. HEATH

At the Masonic Home on Sunday it was a case of the 350 members clasping hands across the bay with a hundred or so congenial people. New friendships were formed and old ones renewed when pleasant afternoon visits were made by San Mateo Pyramid No. 25 of Sciots, headed by Potentate Walter Shenk and Scribe Fred W. Willis, and Parnassus Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, San Francisco.

The Sciots Pyramid brought its splendid Sciots band, Luther Emminon, leader. The Star chapter brought a basket picnic lunch which was served in the South wing banquet hall, the home supplying coffee, cream and table service and assisting in the service. The balance of the afternoon was spent in making the rounds of the home and attending the Sciots concert. With the two delagations and home folks the assembly hall was filled nearly to capacity.

Harry Levitt, Past Potentate, played well the role of master of ceremonies. Features of the fine band concert included a wonderful exhibition of baton swinging by the band's drum majorette, Ruth Holdon, 2 years old, attaining first honors in baton juggling after eight monthhs of practice. A pleasing vocal solo was rendered by Miss Lucile Gould, with Miss Trower accompanist.

Courtesy of a place in the band was extended Louis Kirsch, a former member, now a resident of the home. After the concert a delegation of Sciots made a call on Walter Scott, Past Master of Burlingame lodge of Masons, who was formerly prominent in business and fraternal lodge circles of the San Mateo district.

In honor of the visiting Sciots home Sciots donned the fez, trade mark of this interesting side line organization of masonry. The Star chapter delegation was headed by Mrs Louise Kimball Matron, and George Shupe, patron. It also included George Kimball, Past Master of Parnassus lodge, Dr. Edwin Stott Buckley, Past Master and George Kenneth Crandall, in coming Senior Warden.

TWO ROTARY CLUBS ENJOY LUNCHEON AT MASONIC HOME

DECOTO — Rotary Clubs of Niles and Hayward presented a program at the Masonic Home here on Monday following their joint luncheon meeting held at the home. E. F. Glassbrook, president of the Niles club was master of ceremonies.

This was the first time Rotary has paid an official visit at the home, according to Frank Hartmann, superintendent. The program included community singing led by W. T. Lindsay and George Smith, accompanied by Miss Laura Lee Zwissig; musical spoons by Stuart Nielsen of Decoto; piano numbers by Charlotte Lewis; vocal numbers by Lorraine Peterson and Phyllis Owens. Miss Marie Bernard accompanied Mr Nielsen. The program was arranged by J. A. McDonald of the Niles Club.

FORMER NILES MAN, STEAMSHIP MANAGER, GOES TO ALASKA

Referring to the sailing of the S.S. North Pacific from Seattle on May 15 to arrive in Bethel, Alaska on June 3, The Alaska Weekly, under date of May 10 says:

Another passenger this trip will be Frank Mortimer, Alaska manager of the Alaska Rivers Navigation Company, a subsidiary of the Santa Ann Steamship Company. He will work out of Bethel until late in the fall, superintending the trans-shipment of cargo and passengers to river boats.

"An early break in the weather is giving us an early start this year," Mortimer said. "We expect to be able to run later than usual this fall."

The Alaskan paper also states: As a by-product of World War II, the price of quicksilver has skyrocketed to $190 per flask. (Years ago the normal price was $30.)

Mr Mortimer is well known in Niles and Washington Township.

Mrs Dora Scudder plans to leave the first of June for her cabin at Lake Tahoe.

FRANKLIN PRICES

The Township Register has leased a Franklin printing price list from a firm of specialists in Salt Lake City, who have developed a catalog of standard prices for country printing plants.

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CHILD WELFARE CLUB MAKES PLANS FOR ELECTION AND PICNIC

CENTERVILLE— Arrangements for election and installation of officers for the Child Welfare Club and the annual picnic meeting to be held at the home of Mrs E. A. Ellsworth at Niles on June 10 at 12:30 o'clock were made at this week's meeting of the Child Welfare Club at the home of Mrs John Stevenson. Mrs T. O. Oaks was assistant hostess and guests were shown through the lovely new home of Mrs Stevenson.

Reports from the recent party given by the club at Washington High School indicated that nearly $300 had been raised at the community benefit. Funds are used for needy children in the community.

Mrs W. L. McWhirter appointed the following nominating committee to report at the June meeting which will be the last for the season: Mrs E. A. Ellsworth, Mrs T. O. Oaks and Mrs A. J. Rathbone. Two new members were elected, Mrs Alwin Searles and Mrs Marston Dassel. The club membership is restricted to 35, several names already having been placed on the waiting list.

Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry will be chairman of the June picnic committee and will be assisted by Mrs Richard Sparrowe, Mrs George Bonde, Mrs Howard Chadbourne, Mrs O. E. Walpert and Mrs McWhirter. Mrs T. N. Alexander gave a report of the high school committee and a letter was read from one of the children receiving gifts at Christmas.

The members were asked to furnish the night school with names of those reaching their majority this year and to be honored at the citizenship pageant to be given at the high school on June 7. All those who will be able to vote for the first time in August are asked to send names to Barton Webb, night school principal. Resolutions on the death of Henri Salz were adopted and ordered spread on the minutes, copy to be sent to the press and the family.

WILLIAM BORBA BUYS REGISTERED JERSEYS

Two registered Jersey cattle have been purchased by William A. Borba of Niles from W. E. Smith, Oakdale.

The animals are the herd sire Noble Tormentor Duke 407269 and a cow, Noble Tormentor Midge 1242453, according to The American Jersey Cattle Club, 324 West 23rd Street, New York, N. Y.

WAYNFLETE AT NILES

Mr and Mrs Walter Waynflete and infant daughter Diane arrived at Niles Monday noon from Redwood City, and are now at home in the Mrs Sam Anderson house at the end of G street, formerly occupied by Mr and Mrs Frank Rogers and family, who left Niles on Sunday for Sparks, Nevada.

Members of the Owl Drug company organization enjoyed a barb-Q picnic Sunday on the Henry Snell estate at the end of G street in Niles.

CHAMBER IS ACTIVE AT CENTERVILLE

The Centerville Lions club has not assumed the duties of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce as was reported in error in these columns last week.

Lions club luncheon meetings have taken the place of the luncheon meetings formerly held by the Centerville Chamber, but the latter body still functions as usual, with regular monthly meetings and a paid membership, President Frank T. Dusterberry advises this newspaper.

It is the Chamber which is presenting a flag for Centerville's flag pole rather than the Lions club. M. P. Mathiesen is secretary of the Centerville Chamber this year.

The Register is happy to correct this inadvertent inaccuracy in reporting.

JUNIOR TRAFFIC PATROL ENJOYS THEATRE PARTY

CENTERVILLE — The Centerville Grammar School Junior Traffic Reserve enjoyed a movie at the Niles Theatre on Thursday evening, May 16.

The following junior patrol officers were present: Susumu Hayashi, lieutenant; Sergeants, John Daniels, Ciro Orlando, George Holeman, Charles Marriott, Gilbert De Borba;

Officers, Glenn Faucett, Stanley Alameda, Stanley Bermardo, William Alameda, Verne Furtado, Henry Mariani, Rudolph Alonzo, Takashi Sugimoto, George Bettencourt, Gene Cox, Adolph Enos, Albert Lum, Robert Wells.

The boys were accompanied by Principal Thomas P. Maloney, Mrs Maloney, Victor Silveira, and Hiroshi Sugimoto.

RALLY AT NEWARK

About fifty members of the Newark Rod and Gun Club formed a cavalcade throughout the Township on Sunday to advertise their 1940 Fair Cowboy dance to be given at Swiss Park on June 1. Tony DeValle headed the parade. On Thursday evening a rally for the dance took place at the Newark Pavilion by members of the club with George Oliveria as general chairman. Bob Dwyer, sports writer of the Oakland Tribune and members of the California Associated Sportsmen Club were present. Motion pictures were shown, rifle range contest took place, and refreshments were served.

ALL NIGHT DANCE

OAKLAND—Fiesta clad residents of Alameda County will get a preview of Exposition entertainment at the big Barn Dance Friday night, May 24, when Golden Forties celebrations now in progress in all parts of the city will come to an old-time Western climax. The Exposition has promised a full hour stage show by stars and a chorus from headline acts under contract to the Fair. Jesse Stafford and his singer, Janice Frinfrock, will turn hillbilly for intermission numbers, and Don Mulford's band, alternating with Stafford in all-night dance music, are planning novelty numbers and stunts.

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